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**Congressional Briefings**

1. The attached memo from [redacted]  
OSI, was forwarded to me by [redacted] on 17  
Jan, during the week you were away at the Civil  
Service course. You will note that [redacted] briefed  
two Congressmen in the company of [redacted]  
OFC Legislative Liaison, at a meeting arranged  
by Contact Service.

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2. May I recommend that we inform the Contact  
Service (DCS) and Legislative Liaison that hence-  
forth all requests for briefings of Congressmen  
by any members of our Directorate be arranged  
with you prior to contacting the individual compon-  
ent. To further tighten up this procedure, an  
announcement might be made at the morning meeting  
that all requests of this type be referred to you in  
the event they are made directly to an individual  
office.

3. In this instance, the briefing appears to be of  
a non-sensitive and harmless nature. It is obvious,  
however, that a central control point (i. e. your of-  
fice) is required in the Directorate to assure that  
there is a monitor for such activities involving  
Congress.



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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Meeting with Congressmen

25X1A On 5 January 1966 I met with Congressmen Paul G. Rogers and Hastings Keith to provide them information on Soviet oceanography prior to their trip to the Soviet Union. I was accompanied by [redacted] Congressional Liason, and [redacted] Office of Security. [redacted] provided the Congressmen information on what sort of treatment to expect in the Soviet Union. My presentation was at [redacted] request which he had made through DCS. All information provided the Congressmen was unclassified. They seemed to appreciate my talk and asked several pertinent questions. They also invited me to interview them on their return, which I propose to do, again accompanied by [redacted]

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